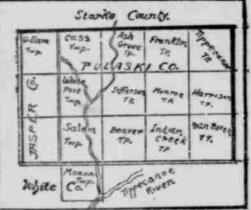
ACRES SAVED TO INDIANA:

LOCATION OF A VALUABLE DITCH.

Other State News-A Life Sentence-Saloon Demolished-Republicans Condemn Hovey-The Columbus Shooting Affair-Weddings - Seriously Burned.

WINAMAC, March 13 .- [Special.]-At the last term of commissioners' court of Pulaski county, this state, a public ditch was located which, when completed, will reclaim thousands of acres of wet lands in the counties of Starke, Pulaski, Jasper and White. This state has two laws under which a public ditch can be located and constructed, a circuit court and commissioners' court law. This large ditch was located under the latter, and in order to locate a joint ditch in two or more counties a petition must be gotten up and signed by parties in each of the counties in which the proposed drain is located, whose lands will be affected by the location of the same, and filed with the auditor of the county containing the source



As indicated by the above plats, through southern Starke, western Pulaski and northern White, a stream known as Monon creek flows which is the natural outlet or drain for all that country, together ance man in the city who does not know with eastern Jasper. At the lower end of that their claim is hypocritical? They this stream for a distance upward of a have been in control of the city two years mile there is a ledge of surface rock which acts as a dam, holding back water for miles, and up to the present time has prevented a complete system of drainage for all this country. The main ditch commences in Pulaski county about threequarters of a mile south of the Starke county line, passing in a general southerly direction, deepening, widening and straightening the channel of this creek, passing through the townships of Rich Jellerson, White Post and Salem in Pulaski county to a point below this mencing in eastern Jasper, to run in a southeasterly direction through Gillam township in Jasper county and Cass and White Post township in Pulaski. This of two and a half feet per mile. The work consists of 584,770 cubic yards of earth which must be excavated at an estimated cost of 10 cents per cubic yard and 133,960 estimated cost of 50 cents per cubic yard, making an estimate of the total cost for the construction of the whole work of \$125,450, which expense must be borne by owners of land benefited by the construcbenefits, but as the side disches or branches reach out over the country for miles, it benefits thousands of acres of land, there being upward of fifteen hundred assessments, against 60,000 acres of land for the construction of the drain. This ditch could easily be made the outlet for the Kankakee marsh, the source being only four or five miles from the river and it could be drained by this route much cheaper than through its present outlet. When this work is completed it will make some valuable farms out of lands that are now worthless.

THE ROCH STER TRAGEDY. Michael Overmeyer Was Probably Mur-

dered-Details of the Affa r. ROCHESTER, March 12 .- [Special.]-Particulars of the tragedy reported in today's SENTINEL are not forthcoming with anything like gratifying promptness. A fuller investigation of the facts makes it very certain that Michael Overmeyer did not commit suicide. His death was either the result of accident or he was murdered. and circumstances strongly support the

latter theory.

Deceased was a quiet, cheerful and industrious man, with no bad habits, and so far as known no enemies. He was married to his second wife less than a month ago. He had taken employment at Huntington, where he had intended to move with his family today. Last evening he ate supper with a friend in town, and after a short visit, started to the home of Elijah Miller just at the edge of town where his wife was. It was perhaps a few minutes after 7 o'clock, but as it was raining and quite dark but few people were on the streets. At a point less than ten rods from the corporation line he was shot. Several persons who happened to out of doors at the time heard the report and also his cries, among them his now bereaved wife. Within five minutes friends were at his side, only to see him breathe his last, but too late to solve the mystery of his death. The body lay face downward in the middle of the road, and his revolver was found, sheathed, some three or four feet away. Two chambers were empty and this at first led to the supposition that his death was accidental, His wife says that he had \$300, which he carried in a leather pocketbook in his infound on his body.

If he was murdered, which seems almost certain, the work was by the hand of some one with full knowledge of his possessions and purposes. The coroner and the property reverts to the heirs of has the case in hand and it is believed his verdict will be in substantial accordance mother's side, was a brother of Edwards. with these facts.

DEATH AFTER FOUR DAYS.

Postmaster Caldwell of Wabash Passe Over to the Great Unknown,

WABASH, March 15 .- [Special.] -- Hezekish Caldwell, postmaster at Wabash, died at the home of his son in this city at 5 o'clock this morning after an illness of of only four days, aged sixty-eighth years. Mr. Caldwell was one of the best known men in northern Indiana and had lived here since 1841. Among other public offices that he has filled was that of member of the state board of agriculture in 1867. In 1873 he was chosen superintendent of construction of the exposition building at Indianapolis; in 1876 he was elected president of the state board of agriculture; in 1878 he was elected treasurer of Wabash county and re-elected in 1880. He was a delegate to the last republican national convention at

ience that just one year from that date he

BRO. CRIM OF THE RAMPAGE. He Severely Denounces the Republicans of

Shelby. Shelbyville, March 15 .- [Special] The prohibitionists of this city have held their convention and nominated the following ticket: Mayor, Robert B. Hale; clerk, Almet Wilson; treasurer, William Coats; marshal, D. Womack, V. S.; councilmen, W. F. Vanostrand, Wyatt Linville, Isaac Higgins, Jonah Dugan. The Rev. A. L. Crim made a rousing speech and denounced the republicans in vigorous party of Shelbyville, while it professed to be a temperance party, a law and order party and a God and morality party, is above all others the most hypocritical. raised the liquor license, just as though the whisky under high license wouldn't make a man as drunk as low license whisky. They had passed a screen ordinance, he said, and had the gall to pretend that it is a move toward temperance. He inquired: Won't whisky make a man as drunk in the day time as at night? Isn't it just as injurious if drank at 10 o'clock as it would be at effect a remedy for the legal use of state and city is it not legal for a man to drink eighteen hours every day in the year? The republicans have had conyears. They have all the officers of the police, and yet they are claiming that the become a disgrace to the city and ridiculously notorious. Just now the republicans are claiming if the people want law and order they must support the republican ticket and continue the same set who have permitted open and notorious violations of law during their entire administration. Is there a law abiding or temperand what have they done either for morality or welfare of the people? They have, it is true, passed the great and wonderful screen ordinance. Now the officers can stand on the outside and look in instead of standing on the inside and looking out. That may be a reform in the eyes of the who else sees it that way?

THE OHIO-INDIANA LINE.

Will Chleago Belong to Indiana?-Dr. Mendenhall's View of the Dispute,

TERE HAUTE, March 12.-[Special.]-T. ledge of rock at a distance of about one | C. Mendenhall, chief of the coast and geoand one-half miles in White county. Then | detic survey, is in the city, visiting the Rose the petition prayed for a branch, com- Polytechnic school, of which he was for-Governor Campbell of Ohio to settle, if possible, the disputed boundary line between ditch, both main and branches, contains | Ohio and Indiana. When he started he 1,666 stations of 100 feet each, or a length | knew nothing of the nature of the dispute. exceeding thirty-two miles and has a fall but had heard that if the error in the boundary was corrected it would add 5,000 Ohio republican voters to Indiana, from which he inferred that the line now encubic yards of stone to be excavated at an | croached on Indiana territory. He met his friend, Governor Campbell, and learned that, on the contrary, Ohio claims a triangular strip, having the mouth of the Big Miami as its apex and the northern bound- Dr. R. H. Calvert; chaplain, the Rev. D. tion of the drain in proportion to their ary as its base. The boundary is poorly | P. Breed, who succeed themselves with defined. The line is described as starting the mouth of the Big Miwhich, like all rivers, is conshifting and running due north. It is not especially difficult to survey such a line if the mouth of the river was marked by a monument, but at the time the survey was made, in 1801, it was done with a compass, always inaccurate because of variations in the needle. It is claimed that this variation amounts to twelve miles in the northern part of the state, the line having steadily veered east. Should this be the case, several towns, among them Union City, will be added to Ohio, with 1,2000 square miles of Indiana territory. Dr. Mendenhall says he visited Governor Hovey and found him up in arms against surveying the line. He said: "If this takes off a strip of Indiana soil on the east we will be entitled to an equal strip on the west, which will include Chi-

cago; but we do not want Chicago." It is customary for the governors of adjacent states, where the boundary is in dispute, to unite in request to the chief of the coast and geodetic survey to locate | ent was that Father Spencer might live to | city, was taken suddenly and severely ill it, the expense being equally divided be- see many more birthdays. tween the states. It is, however, quite unlik-ly that this will be done. Dr. Mendenhall also says he thinks it improbable that the error is anything like so great as reported. He suggested three plans of ascertaining it, the cheapest being to accurately determine the longitude at three points along the boundary line, and if they do not materially vary the intermediate variations need cause no trouble.

CRITICALLY ILL.

Representative Joseph F. Gent Believed to Be Beyond Recovery.

COLUMBUS, March 12.-[Special.]-Representative Joseph F. Gent arrived in this | bor's house. Jump made good his escape. city from Indianapolis in a bad condition | The alarm was given, but so far he has last night. He was taken suddenly ill. His condition is very critical. His family are now in Florida. They were wired last night to hasten home. He spent a very bad night and is no better this morning. Physicians have given up all hopes of his M., met a horrible and instantaneous cott of Richmond for \$3,800.

Heir to a Large Estate.

Brown, a thrifty farmer of this county, is quite sure that he is an heir to a fortune the present century Edwards gave a ninety-nine years' lease on ninety acres of land that is now in the heart of New York City. The lease expires in a short time Brown's grandfather, at the time of his death, bequeathed important documents settling for the details of this transaction, and he now has them in his possession.

Sugar Bests in Indiana. COLUMBUS, March 13.-[Special.]-An experimental test was made last year of growing sugar beets in Bartholomew county. The government furnished the seed through J. I. Irwin. Several fine specimens were grown by farmers and sent to the government chemist, who analyzed them with excellent rasults. This seed was procurred from Germany. Mr. Irwin has now received a supply of sugar beet seed from France, which is being distributed out among farmers to test its adaptability to be grown in this climate and soil, with a view to establishing a sugar-refining manufactory here.

Death from Eating Moldy Cheese. LOGANSPORT, March 13.-[Special.]-Last

March 15, 1890, and it is a singular coinci- character of the ailment indicated poison-Early this morning Mrs. Lizzie Woods, jone of the family, died in horrible agony. The remaining four members of the family, although improved, are by no means out of danger. The cuase of their fatal sickness was the consumption of cheese which was today analyzed and found to be moldy.

Another Anneke Jans Heir, MARTINSVILLE, March 11.-[Special.]-The accounts of the meeting of the heirs of Anneke Jans recentiv published attracted the attention of Mrs. William Northern, living a few miles from this city. Attorneys say that her interest in the estate is well founded. She claims that the husband of language. He said that the republican Anneke Jans sold the propedty over a century sgo to a man named Quacken- advantage. bush, but that the deed was not signed by the wife. Quackenbush leased the property in 1790 to Trinity church for above all others the most hypocritical. In ninety-nine years. Mrs. Northern says that she has proof of being a distant detended spirit of temperance reform, had | cendant of Quakenbush in the fifth generation. Her claim it seems is somewhat different from the Anneke Jans heirs. By her claim she is entitled to a share of two-thirds of the property, which will leave the Jans heirs only one-third. Mrs. Northern is a widow with several

children. Killed Himself Accidentally. Union City, March 14 .- [Special.]-Edward Branham, the son of Simeon Branham, ex-proprietor of the Branham house 12 o'clock? How can peeping Thomases of this city, killed himself accidentally this morning. He lived with his sister, whisky? Under the present law of the Mrs. John Staats. Members of the family were awakened about 2 o'clock by the report of a pistol. They found him very trol of the city affairs for the past two much excited because he thought two men were trying to enter the house. He also thought that he had killed one of the violations for the past two years have men and that the marshal was coming to arrest him. They persuaded him that nothing had happened and left him. About 2:30 they heard another report and on going to his room he was found sitting in a chair dead. It is supposed that he was examining the pistol and accidentally shot himself. He was a jolly, good-natured fellow, and had a great number of friends, who will mourn his death.

Union Revivals at Connersville. Connersville, March 12 .- [Special.]-The series of union revival meetings which have been in progress here for the past six or seven weeks, carried on by the methodist and presbyterian churches, closed last night. These meetings were dedocketized mayor of Shelbyville, but | conducted by the noted quaker evangelists. Nathan and Esther Frame, and have been the cause of the greatest religious awakening this city ever experienced. About four hundred persons were converted and the membership of both Connersville, but the surrounding countopic of conversation and discussion everywhere. The Christian church also is merly president. He was called West by carrying on a protracted meeting which terday afternoon. has resulted in quite a number of accessions to the church.

The New Prison Board.

MICHIGAN CITY, March 11.- [Special.]-John Brodie, the newly-e'ected director of the prison north, met with the board today. The board new organized as follows: President, Levi Mock; secretary, John Brodie; treasurer, James Renihan. The following officers were then elected for four years: Warden, James French; depthe exception of the warden. It is Warden Murdock today, tomorrow it will be the position with the respect of all his associales as well as that of every citizen. A kinder, warmer-hearted man cannot be He will return to Lafayette, found. where he has large business interests.

His Eighty-Fourth Birthday,

PLEASANTVILLE, March 13 .- [Special.]-There was a birthday dinner given recently here in honor of the eighty-fourth birthday of Charles Spencer. Nine of his ten children and eight great-grandchildren were present. About seventy persons sat down to a bountiful table. After dinner Mr. Spencer received a number of presents from the children and grandchildren. Among other presents was a beautiful cane of exquisite workmanship. Mr. Spencer came from Kentucky and settled on the farm he now lives on in 1835, being a continuous residence on the same farm for fifty-six years. The wish of all pres-

Attempt to Murger Four Persons. Noblesville, March 14. - [Special.]-News reached this city today of an attempt to murder four persons at the small village of Chicago, several miles northwest of here. Late Friday evening John Jump, an old citizen, attempted to take the life of his wife and three children by cutting their throats with a razor. His wife loose from her enraged husband without | disposes of the motion for a new trial. any personal injury to herself or the children and sought protection in a neigheluded the officers.

The Entire Train Passed Over Him. SEYMOUR, March 11 .- [Special.] -- Edgar Murphy, a freight brakeman on the O. & Johnson of Rushville, sold to J. M. Westdeath at an early hour this morning at Storrs. He started to walk on the top of Anderson, March 12 .- [Special.]-Mark | the train from the engine to the caboose and fell between the cars. The entire

Deaths in Morgan County.

MARTINSVILLE, March 14 .- [Special.]-Levi S. Hadley, aged about sixty years, died at his home a short distance west of Mooresville yesterday. Thursday he was at work on his farm. He was attacked with tonsilitis, which caused his death. Mr. Hadley was a prominent and wealthy

Mrs. Nimrod Sims, aged seventy-four. died at her home east of this city last night of paralysis. She has been a resident of this county for over sixty years. She leaves a widower and one son.

Deaths in Clay County. Brazil, March 11 .- [Special.] - William night of cancer of the liver, aged eightyseven years. He was the oldest citizen of

boro, aged sixty-six years.

Republicans Condemn Rovey.

RUSHVILLE, March 13 .- [Special.]-The republicans here privately condemed Governor Hovey's vete message of the fee and

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county officers and antagonized the state platform. His party workers are gener. ally displeased.

Col. Anthony Dead.

NEW ALBANY, March 15 .- [Special.]-Col. D. C. Anthony, a prominent republican politician of southern Indiana, died this morning at his home in this city of apoplexy, aged 64 years. He was colonel of the Sixty sixth Indiana volunteers during the civil war and for the last two years of the war he held the important position of provost marshal of Memphis, having been appointed to the place by Gen. Grant, with whom he was on terms of great intamacy. He was county attorney at the

Flight of a Young Husband.

Columbus, March 11 .- [Special.] -Sidney O'Neal, aged twenty-three, abandoned his wife, aged about eighteen, and left here yesterday for parts unknown. He was building a handsome home for his day. His funeral occurred at Rushville churches was greatly increased. Not only | bride of five months and after borrowing | Friday under the auspices of the Shelby-\$325 on the property disappeared. try to some extent, has felt the effect of | cause is assigned for O'Neal's strange conthis religious work. It has been the chief | duct, as his marriage relations were firstclass. Some of his friends fear foul play, as a stranger was seen with him late yes-

Another Pioneer Crosses the River.

FRANKLIN, March 13 .- John Byers, aged seventy-seven years, died last night at his home in White River township. He was having settled here in 1822. Several years ago he suffered a paralytic stroke, since which time he had been in poor health and on the decline over since. He was a man much respected and has numerous friends to mourn his demise.

They Want Flambeaux.

Anderson, March 13 .- [Special.] -The people of Summitvil'e, Alexandria, Chesterfield and other towns of this county Warden French. Mr. Murdock leaves | are preparing to test the constitutionality of the law made by the late legislature prohibiting natural gas from being burned in flambeaux for lighting private lawns as well as public streets. An appealed case is being prepared and will be submitted to the supreme court.

Women Demolish a Saloon.

HUNTINGTON, March 13 .- [Special.]-Yesterday the women of Mt. Etna, ten miles from here, armed with clubs and axes, beat down a saloon door, emptied the vesse's, demolished the furniture and gave notice that all dram shops would share similar fate. No one interfered with their proceedings, and it is thought that all similar places will close.

Family Paisoned.

MARTINSVILLE, Ind., March 14.-The family of Edward Moore, a prominent farmer living several miles south of this last night. A physician was called, and he states that they were poisoned in some unknown manner. Two of their children will die. The other three are seriously ill, but may recover.

A Life Sentence.

LEBANON, March 13. - [Special.] -Beachem, the big, burly negro, who recently killed George Warburton at the poor farm over a quarrel about a chair, was found guilty of murder and imprisongrappled with him to save her children's ment for life accompanied the verdict. lives and finally succeeded in breaking | He will not be sentenced until the judge

Big Prices for Horses.

CAMBRIDGE CITY, March 11.- [Special. -At Lackey's sale today eighty-one horses sold, averaging \$420 per head. Glen Athol, owned by Charles Kohlheir of Cambridge City, sold to O. F. Allen of St. Louis for \$3,100. Wimbledon, owned by J. T.

Death of Mrs. J. C. Starke. ROCKVILLE, March 12 .- [Special.]-Mrs.

J. C. Starke, living nine miles east, and train passed over him, reducing his body one of the oldest residents of the county in New York City property. A man by faithful and sober. His remains were a widower, a large family of children and side vest pocket. When found his vest the name of Edwards, during the war of brought to his home here at 10 o'clock to- many relatives and friends to mourn her was open and this pocketbook gone. He 1776, was the owner of quite a lot of land night for interment. His parents are loss. Many new cases of pneumonia are bad about \$17 in loose money which was on Manhattan island. In the first part of prostrated over the tragic calamity. reported in the county.

Wintry Bridal Flowers.

COLUMBUS, March 11 .- [Special.]-Lucas Covert, sr., and Mrs. Mary Isentrager were married here today. The groom is eightytwo years of age and is quite wealthy, owning a fine farm in the eastern part of this county. The bride is forty-seven years old and was divorced from her first hus-

A Mother Aceldentally Kills Her Baby, JEFFERSONVILLE, March 11 .- [Special.]-Mrs. Nat Beck, to quiet her young child while standing at the J., M. & I. station this afternoon, threw a shawl over its head. Hearing no sound from the infant a few moments later she uncovered its Waters, a resident of Carbon, died last | face only to find that it had been smothered.

Almost Four Score.

MARTINSVILLE, March 13 .- [Special.]-Isaiah Colvert, for thirty-five years past a citizen of Clay county, died yesterday of general debility, at his home near Ash- ninth anniversary of her birth yesterday Mrs. Mary Downey, living a few miles by giving a fine dinner to a number of her friends. Mr. Downey is still living and both are in fairly good health.

A Boy Killed by a Train,

JEFFERSONVILLE, March 11 .- [Special.]-Chicago, and one of the most ardent workers in the Indiana delegation. He Geppinger of this city, after partaking of the was taken violently sick. The the same time he reflected upon our creek railroad bridge this afternoon.

stepped out of the way of an approaching THE DEFENDERS OF ELISHA. train only to be struck by another coming in an opposite direction. His body was hurled into the creek below and went to the bottom. Fishermen caught the remains with a drag net near the Ohio river.

Death in the Ball Room.

EVANSVILLE, March 11.-[Special.]-While at a dance this evening Henry Schwartz, a prominent jeweler, who came here from Cincinnati, dropped dead of heart disease. He was fif y years old and leaves a wife. He served in the confederate army as a captain.

Minor State Items.

Mrs. Gus Griffin of Auburn killed herself because her husband was dissipated. The White river bridge near Seymour was badly damaged by the recent floods. Slosson & Landis of Chicago will furnish the scenery for the new opera house at

The highway from Brownstown to Millport will be graded by order of the commissioners of Jackson.

Maple sirup making was in full blast in Boone county when the recent heavy snow fall checked the sap. The snow storm of Thursday night ex-

tended from the lake to the river. Six inches fell as far south as Seymour. A strike of 300 employes of the Air-line at Huntingburgh is anticipated. The cut of 15 per cent, in wages is the cause. a call from the Muncie Christian church | thy bed-chamber.

accept the call. A wild white swan was killed in Morgan county recently. It measured seven feet from tip to tip of its wings and weighed

I. B. Barker, who died recently in Pueblo, Col., was the son of the Hon. James Barker of Pike county. His remains will be buri d near Petersburg. The Air line will commence work on

its new shops at Princ ton in April, and will have its tracks changed for its entrance to that town by the first of July. Charles Sheward, who got away from an Illinois sheriff en route to Joliet to serve a ten years' sentence, was captured

at Washington recently and returned to Murphy, the great temperance apostle, began a series of meetings at Rushville Thursday night. The large Me odeon hall

was crowded until standing room was at a The store of J. P. Alverton of Romona was entered Thursday night by burglars, the safe was forced, and \$400 in government stamps was taken, besides consid-

erable money. George Hibbon, formerly a leading citizen of Rushville, died in Chicago Wednes-

ville commandery A temperance school has been organized at Spencer that has for its object teaching the effects of alcohol upon the human system. The school meets every Sunday afternoon, and is conducted by the best people of the town.

It is believed that the defeat of the proposition to levy a 2 per c nt. tax in four townships of Dubois county to assist in the construction of the proposed branch of the Monon from French Lick to Evansone of the old pioneers of the county, ville, practically puts an end to the prospect of building the road.

There is still no trace of Sidney O'Neal, missing from Columbus for a week. He had only peen married five months, and his young wife is distressed over his mysterious disappearance. He was building a new house, and after drawing \$500 out of bank, and making a payment of about \$150 thereon, he disappeared.

The butchers of Greencastle have formed a protective association against non-paying customers. Each butcher is provided with a black-list, and obligates nimself to refuse credit to those whose names appear upon it. The butchers thus hope to secure a settlement of old scores, failing in which the delinquents will eat no more meat.

There is said to be coal enough in Pike county to pay a net profit of \$3,000,000,000 It lies unmolested save the marking of a few banks. Besides coal this county has untold wealth, all lying about waiting ated. The Syrians were on the surroundfor some one to come along with the necessary capital Some fine day these developments will be made fast and furious. Then the sitters on the stool of do nothing will wish they had taken time by the forelock .- Pike County Democrat.

Ed Cory, "Chucky" Fell and Friday Clark, three prize fighters, who have been in jail for several weeks awaiting trial at Crawfordsville, were released Saturday. Prosecutor Moffett stated that owing to the weak laws against prize fighting and the meagerness of evidence it would be impossible to convict them, so he let the indictment be quashed without objection. Cory and Fell engaged in a glove contest at Waynetown, and Clark was second.

> Indiana Pensions. ORIGINAL.

Charles Carr, Aaron Hawes, George W. Dynch, Lloyd Lamphire, John Graves, William H. Hartley, Leonidas E. Belknap, James C. Essington, Frank A. Danbury, David R. Grubaugh, John W. Enbody, George W. Hite, Talmon L. Cross, William H. Griffis, Cassino O. Curlis, George W. Manor, Henry Nollmann, Christopher Gurtner, Thomas Fitzgerald. David Comins, James Currens, Henry C. Bugbee, Abraham Farner, George W. Houston, Henry D. Hamilton, Perry Gilland (deceased), Isaac Claxton, Hamilton Kelly, Rodolphus Judah, James K. Bishop, James W. Haymond (deceased), Enoch H. Jones, Charles S. Cooney,

INCREASE. William Johnson, Clark Stanton, Isaac Jones,

George W. Conniar. Henry E. Hassenplug. REISSUE AND INCREASE. William Hurell.

ORIGINAL, WIDOWS, ETC. Susan, mother of Andrew Shroyer; Catherine widow of George Rarig; minors of George A. Foster; Martha, widow of William Smith; Annie, widow of John Goppinger; Rachel, widow of Leason Hoover; Elizabeth, widow of John Martin Linz; Louisa J., widow of Nelson Hunt; Amanda, widow of Jonathan Clay; Lydia, widow of William R. Ballah.



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Other Miracles of the Prophet-Full Text of the Lesson-Helpful Thoughts-Practical Suggestions-Review Exercise for the Entire School.

II Kings vi .- 8. Then the king of Syria warred against Israel, and took counsel with his servants, saying, In such and such a place shall be my camp. 9. And the man of God sent unto the

king of Israel, saying, Beware, that thou pass not such a place; for thither the Syrians are (a) come down. 10. And the king of Israel sent to the

place which the man of God told him and warned him of, and saved himself there not once nor twice. 11. Therefore the heart of the king of Syria was sore troubled for this thing; and

he called his servants, and said unto them, Will ye not shew me which of us is for the king of Israel? 12. And one of his servants said, (b)

None, my lord, O king: but Elisha, the prophet that is in Israel, telleth the king Elder Treat of Martinsville has received of Israel the words that thou speakest in at an increased salary. He will probably 13. And; he said, Go and (c) spy where he is, that I may send and fetch him.

And it was told him, saying, Behold, he is in Dothan. 14. Therefore sent he thither horses, and chariots, and a great host: and they came by night and compassed the city

15. And when the servant of the man of God was risen early, and gone forth, behold; a host (d) compassed the city both with horses and chariots. And his servant said unto him, Alas, my master! how shall

16. And he answered, Fear not for they that be with us are more than they that be with them, 17. And Elisha prayed, and said, Lord, I pray Thee, open his eyes, that he may see. And the Lord opened the eyes of

the young man; and he saw; and, beho'd,

the mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire round about Elisha. 18. And when they came down to him, Elisha prayed unto the Lord, and said, Smite this people, I pray Thee, with blind-ness. And He smote them with blindness according to the word of Elisha.

Revised Version.

(a) Coming. (b) Nay. (d) Was round about.

Note and Comment Time.-Probably between B. C. 890 and 884. Whether before or after the events of the last lesson is uncertain. Place.-Samaria, the capital, and Dothan, a small city twelve miles to the

north. Here Joseph was sold by his brethren (Gen. xxxvii, 17, etc.) Rulers.—Jehoram, king of Judah; Jehoram, king of Israel; Benhadad II, king of Syria.

Helps over Hard Places.—8. The king of Syria; Benhadad II, Warred; sent roving bands for plunder and to weaken his enemy. It was a kind of guerilla warfare. 9. Beware that thou pass not such a place: do not go there and expose yourself; or, do not pass over it, but guard it. at \$1,500 per annum and he is allowed an The Syrians are come: are coming. Such was their plan. 11. Sore: Exceedingly. Which of us is for the king of Israel: as their plans were known only to the leaders, he was sure that some one of them must be a traitor. 12. Elisha * * the men of Israel with whom they reduced it to\$1,200. Both appointees will came in contact. 13. He is in Dothan: (see place.) 14. A great host: great comparatively, for such a purpose. 17. The mountain was full of horses and chariots of fire: the mountain was the hill on which Dothan was situing hills. The space between them and Elijah was filled with the unseen defenders. The chariots of fire were symbols of the angels and spiritual beings, and secret forces of nature, which are always around God's people. 18. When they: the Syrians. Smote them with blindness: the dazed and bewildered vision that could not see things as they were. Elijah could not lead a host of totally blind people twelve miles. When Elisha, in the next verse, says that "This is not the way, neither is this the city," he spoke the plain, simple truth. Dothan was not Elisha's city, nor was it possible, defended as Elisha was, for them to find him there. He took them to his home city, and they found there the man they were seeking.

other way, does not destroy the fact that Elisha told them the plain, exact truth.

The fact that they did not understand how

it was to be done, and imagined some

Other Miracies of Elisha. There are several miracles wrought by Elisha, which do not come within the lesson text, but which are necessary to a complete view of Elisha's character and work. 1. He made healthful the poisoned

2. He feed 100 men with 20 small oriental loaves or cakes. 3. He caused the lost axe head to

4. He foretold a famine, thus aiding the Shunammite. Note in all these miracles (1) They were

all for others, and not for himself. The prophetic power was used unselfishly. 2. They were for the confirmation of the authority and influence of Elish, and thus for the advancement of religion. | burg. They were God's signal and seal to the words of his prophet.

3. They were a proof of the personal existence and present power of God. Acts of this kind can only be performed by a person, not by an impersonal "power that makes for righteousness." It is difficult now, it was more difficult then, to convince people of the existence and the character of the true God.

4. They were expressions of the good and love of God. They were for the comfort and help of those in trouble. The God who did these things in special circums ances was always good and loving in the ordinary ways of his providence. 5. They were for an example to the people, a city set on a hill, to lead them to cherish all kindness and helpfulness to

Helpful Thoughts.

Opened eyes .- We need to pray for our-

others.

universe is full of realities, unrecognized by the natural senses. We need to see God's hand in history. We need to see God's wisdom and love in nature. need to have heaven as real to us as the world around us. We need to have our eyes opened to the spiritual meaning of the word of God. We need to see the spiritual forces of life, that goodness, truth, godliness and love are more real than houses and lands. We need to see the consequences of a bad life, its invisible but real qualities that destroy the sout. We need to have our eyes opened to the opportunities of doing good, to the possibili-

ties of our lives, to the joys and hopes of the Christian life, to the fullness of the promises of God. For opened eyes mean more faith, greater courage, larger hope, nobler life, and peace that passeth under-

Practical Surgestions.

We should be patriotic, and aid our country even when our rulers are imper-God knows every secret thought and

feeling. This is a comfort to the friends of God. for He understands us while others misunderstand. He knows when we try to do

right, whatever our failures. It is a terror to be wicked, for no cloak of appearance can hide evil purposes and

There is vastly more in the bible, in nature, in life, than appears to the ordinary

The Christian has countless unseen defenders: (1) God himself; (2) the ever-

present Jesus; (3) the Comforter; (4) minstering angels; (5) the forces of nature. If thine enemy hunger, feed him; if he thirst, give him drink; for in so doing thou shalt heap coals of fire on his head.

Review Exercise.

(1). What did Flisha do for the people? Ans. He helped them in various troubles (2). What did he do for the government? Ans. He revealed the secret plans of the enemy. (3). What attack was made on Ans. The Syrian army sursounded Dothan, where he was. (4). How was he defended? Ans. By a multitude of invisible heavenly beings. (5). How did Elsiha escape? Ans. The army was blinded and led into the capital of Israel. (6). What was done to them there? Ans. They were treated kindly and sent safely home, and this ended the war.

MR. GORBY'S APPOINTMENTS.

They Meet the Approval of Citizens in Mining Districts.

State Geologist Gorby Friday appointed Thomas McQuaid of Clay county state mine inspector, and Prof. E. T. J. Jordan of Shelby county, supervisor of natural gas. These appointments were not unexpected, and will, therefore, occasion no surprise.

Both of these gentlemen were appointed to the offices they now fill by Mr. Gorby two years ago. The first named served as mine inspector during Governor Gray's term. The general assembly of 1889, however, took the appointing power from the chief executive and placed it in the hands of the state geologist. The latter named Mr. McQuaid as his own successor, while Governor Hovey ap-pointed John Tislow, a cheap poli-tician of Pike county, who had no experience whatever as a miner. The Indiana Napoleon appointed Tislow over the vigorous protests of hundreds of miners simply because the latter had a political pull in Pike county. In making the appointment he gave expression to that antique chestnut about being deprived of his rights as an executive officer. The matter fina ly found its way into the courts, but before a decision was reached Mr. McQuaid withdrew from the field, and Tislow has been making a bluff at inspecting mines ever since.

State Geologist Gorby is to be congratulated upon his appointments. McQuaid has spent a large portion of his life in the mining districts of Indiana, and is thoroughly competent. His appointment will be well received by the miners of the state who have been practically without protection from the dangers to which they are subjected for the past two years. His salary is fixed assistant at \$1,000. The latter has not yet

been appointed. There is no question but that Prof. Jordan as supervisor of natural gas will give general satisfaction. He will work under the direction of the state geologist. The telleth the king: they must have learned salary for this office was originally fixed this from some of their captives or at \$1,500, but the last general assembly assume the duties of their respective of-

> fices at once. OFFICERS ELECTED.

The Marion County Agricultural and Hortis

cultural Society Meets in Annual Session. There was a fair attendance at the meeting of the Marion county agricultural and horticultural society Saturday afternoon. Among the essays read were the following: "Varities of grapes, strawberries and raspberries" by Theodore Wilson and S. Johnson; "Varities of gooseberries and word means not complete blindness, but a | currents" by E. J. Howland and J. G. Kingsbury; "Varieties of apples and chernes" by C. M. Hobbs; "Varieties of peaches, pairs and plums" by E. Y. Teas: 'Varities of potatoes" by J. W. Apple and J. J. Milhous.

> for the ensuing year: President-J. W. Apple. Vice-Presidents-Franklin Taylor, Center township; Benjamin Tyner, Washington; Hiram Miller, Wayne; Henry Cress, Warren; W. B. Flick, Lawrence; Shepley Frey, Frank-lin; Theodore Wilson, Perry; J. J. Milhous, Decatur; I. N. Cotton, Pike. Secretary-Mrs. Ida F. Richardson, Center township.

The society elected the following officers

Treasurer-Mrs. W. B. Flick, Lawrence town-

The Levee Was Cut. Мемриів, Tenn., March 14.—The latest news from the break in the leves near Sunflower landing is to the effect that it is widening very slowly, and hopes are en tertained that the ends will be fastened and thus prevent further caving. It was rumored on the cotton exchange this morning that in all probability the levee had been cut by some discharged hand. Otherwise there is no accounting for the disaster. It stood last year's pressure, when the river was two or three feet higher, and was considered one of the strongest pieces of breastwork that lines the big river between Memphis and Vicks-

The Miners Acquitted.

SCOTTDALE, Pa., March 14.-The cases against Alexander Fisher and Lawrence Kline, charged with riot and assault on Pit Bosses Thomas Loudon and Mike Belli, at the Paul works of W. J. Rainey on Feb. 25, were tried today. The offenses were alleged to have been committed during the riotous proceedings there, when a big body of strikers marched down to stop the men from working at Rainey's. The men were both acquitted out were required to pay the costs. Harry Dilligatti, an Italian, was convicted of assault and shooting with intent to murder Joseph and Thomas Loudon.

Not Much of Her. [Bowersox's Budget.] She-"Mis- Rodney always looks well for one who has so little to dress on. He-"Yes, she is rather thin."

FAMILY AND FANCY DYEING. Many a lady who has wondered how the family out-go can be made less than the family income, will find the solution of this problem in dyeing and making over the faded or unfashionable dresses. cloaks, suits, feathers, ribbo s, etc., which soonmulate in every home. The dyeing can be done at home with Diamond Dyes. Those, with their simple, practical directions, have made bome dyeing one of the easiest of the many different kinds of household work. Any child, by following the directions on the envelope, can obtain handsome and durable colors with Diamond Dyes. They will save the price of many a new dress and suit in every

selves the prayer that Elisha prayed for his attendant, "Lord, that our eyes may be opened," our spiritual eyes. For the